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PARIS GERMAN.

Those Unable to Support Themselves to Be Bounced.

The French Government May Return Them to Germany.

Numerous Wrecks on the Pacific—Five Whites and Thirty Natives Drowned at Mallicollo—Thirty Others Massacred by Natives—England's African Policy. Other Foreign News.

PARIS, April 7.—The government has, it is reported, ordered a census to be taken of the Germans residing in the suburbs of this city. The object of the government is said to be the return to Germany of German residents without means of subsistence.

ON THE PACIFIC.

Severe Storms During March—Several Vessels Wrecked—Massacred.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., April 7.—Severe hurricanes on the Pacific during March caused many disasters on the coast of the New Hebrides. Several ships were wrecked at Labour.

At Mallicollo a vessel ran aground and five whites and thirty natives were drowned, while thirty others who reached the shore were massacred by the natives.

The Divine Sarah in Her Passion Play.

PARIS, April 7.—M. Lamoureux Friday night gave a concert, at which there was a very crowded attendance. During the entertainment, Mme. Bernhardt, dressed in a clinging white robe, recited portions of the Passion play which she has recently been studying. She was assisted by Garnier and Bremont, and was frequently applauded, but towards the end the audience became impatient and noisy, and the author of the play, M. Harcourt, was obliged to make an appeal to them before they would allow the performance to proceed.

JOHN BULL'S POLICY.

Teaching Africa. Affairs—Letter of Emperor Sir Samuel White Baker.

LONDON, April 7.—Sir Samuel White Baker, the English explorer in a letter just published indicates the recent policy of the government touching African affairs, which, he says, has resulted in the loss of all positions which had been gained through the enterprise of individuals. Commenting upon Emin Pasha's recent course he says it is only natural that Emin should join the German government expedition which he predicts will not initiate the fatal example of England by advancing only to retreat.

The writer then shows how the Germans will soon regain the equatorial province and how they will eventually secure control of the White Nile at Gondokoro, while Italy will be master of the situation by the possession of Berber and Senegal. He says, Khartoum will naturally fall.

With regard to the value of the equatorial province in a commercial sense, he says, that it is nil, the products being worth ten times less than the cost of transportation, while the legitimate purchase of ivory is impossible.

The Newfoundland Dispute.

The Chronicle's Paris correspondent says: The French government is considering the advisability of endeavoring, after the recess, to settle the Newfoundland dispute by arbitration. In the event of a decision favorable to French interests indemnity would be asked for French fishermen in addition to compensation of a territorial character.

Two Gorilla Babies.

The attacks of the zoo were in a flutter Friday over the birth of twins to the female gorilla, whose exhibitions of bad temper are a constant menace to those who are compelled to attend her. The chief importance which attaches to the arrival of these hideous babies is the fact that they are the first of their species ever born in England.

Manmoth Army Ballons.

BERLIN, April 7.—Edward Damm, of the United States, is making a sensation here by an exhibit of a monster balloon for war purposes. The balloon is called the Bismarck. It is lighted by electricity, and is capable of signaling at a tremendous distance. The machine will, it is said, be adopted in the German army.

Ducting Forbidden in the German Army.

In accordance with the views expressed by the emperor recently, a cabinet order has just been issued forbidding ducting in the army, except in cases where a council of men of honor to which all the circumstances shall have been referred, shall declare that a duel is necessary.

Don Pedro's Illness.

CANBERRA, April 7.—Don Pedro is in a critical condition. Friday he was in a comatose state a part of the day. In the afternoon the sacrament was administered to him. His patient, who was summoned from Paris to attend the sufferer, says that his patient is extremely weak but he is in no immediate danger.

British Trade Extending.

LONDON, April 7.—The Times' dispatch from Shanghai says that a treaty opening the city and district of Chungking has been signed by the British minister at Peking. This will largely conduce to the development of British trade.

Who Does Emin's Printing?

ZANZIBAR, April 7.—The hand bill bearing Emin's signature accusing the British consul of falsifying accounts of the German East Africa company and printed on their private printing press.

Traveling in Style.

PERKIN, April 7.—The emperor, accompanied by Li Hung Chang, the Chinese grand chancellor, and a retinue numbering 10,000 persons, has started on a visit to the eastern Manchu. He will return to Peking on April 12.

An Anti-Human League.

ATHENS, April 7.—The object of the mission of M. Valkov to Athens is to induce Greece to join an Anti-Human League of the Balkan states under the leadership of Turkey.

Emin's Mission.

Cairo, April 7.—Emin has not written a single line to Stanley or Parker since the two explorers arrived at Bagamoya. Stanley expresses regret and surprise that Emin did not come to Cairo and pay his respects to the khedive and suppose that his reason was that he was unable from his long absence in interior of Africa to adapt himself to civilized life.

Serious Trouble Feared in Rome.

ROME, April 7.—The announced intention of the unemployed workmen of Rome to join in procession and march through the principal thoroughfares on April 13, greatly disturbs the government already harassed by virtual bankruptcy and exasperating foreign complications. Premier Crispi has held several conferences with his colleagues on the subject, and he has ordered that the military suppress the demonstration. The leaders of the movement

are undaunted, however, and believe that they will parade, though the entire Italian army oppose them.

A Battle in the Near Future.

PARIS, April 7.—M. Etienne, the colonial minister, says that the French troops already in Dahomey are strong enough to overcome the native forces, and that there exists no necessity for their re-employment. An attack, he stated, would shortly be made upon Whydah by the French troops. Whydah is the chief town of Dahomey where the Dahomians secure their war munitions.

Russia Wants More Money from Turkey.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 7.—Russia has notified Turkey that the sums paid on account of the arrears of war indemnity, and the securities given for the payment thereof are not sufficient, and that, therefore, if the new loan which Turkey proposes to raise is subscribed for, she will demand priority for the payment of this claim before the money is devoted to other purposes.

English Capital in Persia.

LONDON, April 7.—The Shah of Persia has signed a concession to Maj. Talbot for a tobacco monopoly and other exclusive rights in Persia, on behalf of English capitalists.

Foreign Notes.

France has prohibited the landing of arms in Dahomey.

Mr. Henry M. Stanley will start from Cairo for Brussels on Monday.

Carbon, the explorer of the Nyassa, and Shire districts, has returned to Lisbon.

A young professor named Odin, connected with the Lausanne academy, was killed while making the ascent of one of the Alps mountains.

The Emperor of Germany has presented a prize cup ornamented with antlers and a figure of Diana, goddess of the chase, to be shot for at the federal rifle competition.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Condensation of interesting items on Various Subjects.

Pennsylvania's bill rolling mill commences to revolve after three years' rest.

Benjamin F. Haller, grand master Mason of Tennessee, died Friday at Memphis.

The United States senate will investigate Chicago's world's fair subscription fund.

A woman in Chicago is under judgment against her own husband for slander.

Postal Telegraph company has withdrawn its special rates to the Chicago board of trade.

Two persons were injured, none fatally, by a passenger train rolling down an embankment near St. Charles, Mo.

Professor William Hyde Appleton declined the presidency of Swarthmore college, to which he was recently elected.

Michael Cibo has been acquitted at Rome, N. Y., for killing James Gilson for invading his home and assaulting his wife.

Sailors at Klagsman, Kan., were visited by the Wagon Wheel Union, who dumped the liquor into the street.

At Alwood, Kan., Gracema Chelwood, charged with poisoning his brother, was sentenced to fifty years in the penitentiary.

A negro named William Williams was lynched, near Kowee, Tex., for outraging the person of Charles Griffin's 8-year-old daughter.

Judge Boyd is holding court at Huron, N. D., in a case in a spring suit of boiler iron and surrounded by a company of soldiers.

The bill providing for the appointment of an alcoholic liquor traffic commission has been favorably reported in the lower house of congress.

By the capsizing of a sailboat near Madison, Wis., Ralph Seligman, aged 17, was drowned. His companion, a son of James Spencer, was rescued.

The Dominion government will shortly organize an expedition to be led by American experts, to explore the oil regions in the far north, near Athabasca.

Whitehead Reid, United States minister to France, is visiting the old home of his father, at Cedarville, O., and says it is the best place on earth to live.

Pickpockets "worked" the congregation at the New York Methodist conference, and thieves carried off several overcoats of the ministers from the church basement.

Two hundred farns were sold in Atlantic county, N. J., last week to satisfy mortgages. One farmer went crazy and fired his house, being burned to death himself.

At Columbus, Ind., Newton Williams had sixteen teeth extracted by a street doctor, who broke his jaw and severed a small artery. He is now lying in a critical condition.

Walter Larn, 15, is the third Peru, Ind., boy who has mysteriously disappeared in the last week. Supposed to be trailing the trembling savage through the wild western woods.

Isaac Gehlert, a wealthy farmer living at Odessa, O., is missing and foul play is feared. He was last seen at Springfield last Tuesday, and had several hundred dollars on his person.

Congressman Stone, of Missouri, Friday spoke against too many pension bills, and deplored the demands of the G. A. R. General of his colleagues sharply criticized him in their speeches.

The Cleveland, Lorain and Wheeling railroad has killed two husbands for Mrs. Edith Shammell at Urishville, O., within three years, and she declares that either the railroad or herself must use slow poison.

St. Smith and Charles Broadner fatally shot James McGuire, colored, at a Hopkinsville, Ky., dance, because he crowded them off the floor, and made the prospects for a dance in the air very good for themselves.

The Fresno, Cal., water works have been sold to the Municipal Investment company of Chicago and London, for \$500,000. The water supply is derived from eight wells from 150 to 500 feet deep, which yield 5,000,000 gallons per day.

Capt. W. L. Couch, the leader of the Oklahoma boomers, and ex-senator of Oklahoma (Oz), was shot by J. C. Adams in a quarrel over a claim. Though amputation of his leg may not be necessary, the captain is crippled for life. Couch seems to have been the aggressor.

A YOUTHFUL ASSASSIN.

A 17-year-old boy at Jeffersonville, Ind., smashes the skull of another.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 7.—William Gleason, a lad 15 years of age, was brutally murdered in Jeffersonville, Friday morning by John Aldridge. They worked in the Ohio Falls car works and were engaged in a quarrel. While they were employed they got into a dispute over some trivial matter, but were separated before they came to blows. Aldridge refused to fight in the car works grounds, but consented to meet his adversary late in the afternoon and have it out.

The lads separated, and it was thought the difficulty was temporarily settled, but while Gleason was away with his duties, Aldridge slipped up behind and hurled a large piece of iron at him. It hit the unfortunate young man in the back of the head, fracturing the skull at the base of the brain and knocking the victim senseless. Gleason never regained consciousness, and died in ten minutes after being struck. Aldridge made his escape, but later the police found him at his home on Missouri avenue and Seventh street, and locked him up. The young murderer is only 17 years old and bears an ugly reputation.

LATTER DAY SAINTS.

Commencement of the Sixtieth Annual Mormon Conference.

SALT LAKE CITY, April 7.—The sixtieth annual conference of the church of Latter Day Saints began Friday. Five

thousand people were in attendance, representing branches of the Mormon church from all over the country.

The president, Woodruff, in his opening speech, said in his opening speech that the day of revelations had ended. God had revealed enough of the mysteries for people to see salvation, and there was no need of looking for more distinct utterances. The statement was a bombshell in the camp of the Mormons who have hitherto contended that all action of the church was dictated by revelations from the prophet, which is Woodruff.

Other speakers followed in the same strain and urged strict compliance with the laws of the church. A leading Mormon said yesterday that it was expected that Woodruff would, before the end of the conference, assert that he had a revelation from God that polygamy should be abandoned.

New Whipping-Box for Women.

Yale City, April 7.—An Atlanta, Ga., special to a morning paper which has been exposing the Georgia convict lease system, states that a separate camp for the women has been established at Bolton, near Atlanta. There the women are employed at broom making. Thursday the singular request came to Governor Gordon that he should appoint a whipping box for the camp, and a man named Owen was duly appointed to fill that office. The appointment of a male whipping box for women is apologized for on the ground that his presence will be sufficient to preserve order, and that he will never be called upon to lay actual stripes upon a woman.

Attended at the Standard.

PITTSBURGH, April 7.—Oil producers are contemplating a new move against the Standard Oil company. It is in effect to have the auditor general of a state institute suit against the Standard Oil company under the law of Pennsylvania, prohibiting the buying up of competing lines by common carriers. The action, if one is brought, will be based on the Standard's purchase of the Western and Atlantic Pipe line. They believe a prima facie case can be made out of the purchase of the Western and Atlantic, and the auditor general will be compelled to take action, as both companies are common carriers.

Motoring Court at Martins G. H. Ky.

Louisville, April 7.—The Martins court house, where Judge Boyd is holding court, with a company of soldiers to prevent intimidation of juries, "Hi" Hall has been convicted of murder and sentenced to twenty-one years' imprisonment in the penitentiary.

A woman in Martins county, Ky., has been summoned for a jury to try William Jennings, a leader of the Howard faction. Jennings will first be tried for the murder of William Bailey.

County Jail, where he will be held until the law and order party in the effort to bring Howard and Jennings to justice, is dangerously ill of typhoid fever.

Artesian Water and Flowing Gaa.

MARTINSVILLE, Ind., April 7.—At Worthington, Ind., a few miles below here, the drill in a gas well has struck a vein of artesian water, and a column of water ten feet high and six inches in diameter is pouring out from the mouth of the well. Gas is also bubbling out with the water, and burns fiercely at the top of the column.

\$500,000 Fire at Theresa, N. Y.

ROME, N. Y., April 7.—The town of Theresa, N. Y., Jefferson county, was visited by a disastrous conflagration Saturday morning. Reports place the number of buildings destroyed at forty. The loss will be heavy, aggregating some \$500,000. A large number of the burned buildings were dwellings.

Stabbed by an Unlucky Scholar.

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., April 7.—Professor Cyrus, principal of the schools in this place, was about to punish a boy named Ernest Welsh for misbehavior Friday, when Welsh drew a knife and stabbed the professor in the chest and back. Cyrus' injuries are very serious.

Will Build Twenty Iron Steamships.

BOSTON, April 7.—It is reported on good authority that a syndicate is being organized here for the purpose of building twenty iron steamships to engage in a general coastwise and foreign trade as soon as the Farther tonnage bill is passed by congress.

Ex-Congressman in Trouble.

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Girls Strike for Uniform Wages.

HARTFORD, Conn., April 7.—Between seventy-five and a hundred girls employed at Russell & Erwin's screw works in New Britain, are on a strike for uniform wages instead of the present graded system.</